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CASE #: 19-1-06601-2 SEA

SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, )  
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 Plaintiff, )  
 v. ) No. 19-1-06601-2 SEA  
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 DAVID BRENT HAGGARD, ) INFORMATION  
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 Defendant. )  
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I, Daniel T. Satterberg, Prosecuting Attorney for King County in the name and by the authority of the State of Washington, do accuse DAVID BRENT HAGGARD of the following crime: **Murder in the Second Degree**, committed as follows:

## Count I Murder in the Second Degree

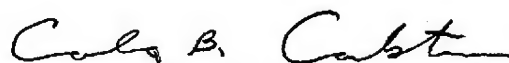
That the defendant DAVID BRENT HAGGARD in King County, Washington, on or about June 9, 2016, while committing and attempting to commit the crime of assault in the second degree, and in the course of and in furtherance of said crime and in the immediate flight therefrom, and with intent to cause the death of another person, did cause the death of Jamie Haggard, a human being, who was not a participant in said crime, and who died on or about June 9, 2016;

Contrary to RCW 9A.32.050(1)(a), (b), and against the peace and dignity of the State of Washington.

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CAUSE NO. 19-1-06601-2 SEA

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY CASE SUMMARY AND REQUEST FOR BAIL AND/OR  
CONDITIONS OF RELEASE

The State incorporates by reference the Certification for Determination of Probable Cause prepared by Detective Kathleen M Decker of the King County Sheriff's Office for case number C16030789.

**Pursuant to CrR 2.2, the State requests the court issue an arrest warrant with bail set in the amount of \$2,000,000.** The defendant is currently in custody in the King County Jail pending trial on Arson in the First Degree (18-1-06921-8 SEA) with bail set at \$225,000. In that case, the defendant stole appliances from the home of an acquaintance and then set the home on fire, causing extensive fire damage.

The defendant was also convicted in 2017 of **Arson in the Second Degree and Burglary in the Second Degree.** According to court documents in that case, the defendant broke into a construction site and used a forklift to steal several expensive pieces of equipment. He then set the brand new forklift (valued at \$140,000) on fire. By his own admission, he committed this crime to prevent law enforcement from recovering his fingerprints. He received a 39 month sentence in DOC for these crimes.

In this case, the defendant killed his own sister. In order to conceal this crime, he dismembered her, burned her, stuffed her in a suitcase and discarded her by the side of the road, thus preventing her family (his own family), the opportunity to know what had become of her for almost two long years. In the meantime, he carried on with the charade of pretending to be worried about her and wondering where she was. Both the egregious nature of the crime and the


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2 pattern of destroying evidence in an attempt to interfere with the administration of justice  
3 warrant high bail in this matter.

4 Additionally, in 2015, the defendant was charged and subsequently convicted of  
5 **Unlawful Possession of a Firearm 2<sup>nd</sup> and VUCSA**, There, the defendant possessed a .44  
6 Magnum Revolver and pump-action shotgun, in addition to methamphetamine, while being in  
7 possession of a stolen vehicle. He received a prison sentence of twelve months and a day.  
8 He also has three felony convictions from California for **Taking a Motor Vehicle** (2002) and  
9 **VUCSA** (2004, 2005) and misdemeanor convictions for: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia  
10 (2004), Obstruction (2000), and Burglary (1995)

11 The defendant's willingness to illegally possess firearms on at least two occasions, to  
12 commit alarmingly dangerous arsons on at least two occasions, and to brutally murder his sister  
13 demonstrate that he is a danger to society. Given the length and nature of his criminal history,  
14 if convicted of the current charges the defendant faces a substantial prison term, thus giving him  
15 a significant incentive to flee the jurisdiction if released from custody.

16 Based on his criminal history and the murder he has committed, the State believes the  
17 requested bail amount is appropriate to protect the community and the administration of justice  
18 and to ensure the defendant's appearance in court.

19 Signed and dated by me this 28th day of October, 2019.

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24 Senior Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

1 CAUSE NO.

2 CERTIFICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF PROBABLE CAUSE

3 That Kathleen Decker is a (n) Detective with the King County Sheriff's  
4 Office and has reviewed the investigation conducted in the King County  
Sheriff's case number (s) C16-030789;

5 There is probable cause to believe that David B Haggard 02/23/1974  
6 committed the crimes (s) of Murder 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree RCW 9A.32.050.  
This belief is predicated on the following facts and circumstances:  
7 On June 17, 2016, Lee Haggard reported his 27-year-old daughter, Jamie  
Haggard (DOB 02/12/1989), missing. Her mother, who usually spoke to her at  
8 least every other day, had not spoken to her daughter since June 8, 2016.  
Jamie had last been seen on June 9, 2016 at the home she was residing in with  
9 her older brother, David Haggard, in Kenmore, King County, Washington. On  
May 10, 2018, Jamie's partial, burnt, and dismembered remains were found in a  
suitcase off the shoulder of a road in Snohomish County.

10 As detailed below, there is probable cause to believe that David  
Haggard killed Jamie on June 9, 2016, at their home in Kenmore and then  
11 dismembered, burnt and disposed of her remains.

12 According to numerous witnesses, Jamie and David had a volatile  
relationship. Both Jamie and David were methamphetamine and heroin addicts.  
13 Jamie had a monthly prescription for opioids that she sold to buy  
methamphetamine and heroin. David had threatened to kill Jamie and had  
14 beaten her up on more than one occasion. Friends had seen ligature marks and  
bruises on Jamie multiple times. Jamie reported being afraid of David and  
told others that she was afraid he would kill her.

15 The house in Kenmore did not belong to either Jamie or David. They had  
16 moved in shortly before Jamie's murder, along with David's girlfriend, Carlee  
Chew. Also residing at the house was Jason Nolte, who had been given  
permission to stay there by the owner. In the days leading up to Jamie's  
17 murder, Jamie and David had argued extensively about the house and who should  
be permitted to stay there.

18 At some point shortly before Jamie went missing, David and Jamie argued  
19 and David knocked Jamie out, rendering her unconscious on the floor of the  
garage. David then told Scott Barnes that he should kill Jamie because she  
20 was causing so much trouble.

21 On June 7, 2016, David and Nolte kicked Jamie out of the house,  
thinking she had stolen from them. Jamie texted David that he was a  
22 "worthless piece of shit" and to go "fuck yourself." David did not have a  
working cell phone so the texts were sent to Chew's phone. Unbeknownst to  
David, Nolte allowed her to return later that night.

23 The next morning, June 8, 2016, angry that Jamie had returned, David argued  
24 with her. David later admitted to police that he had assaulted Jamie, by  
getting on top of her and slapping her. Jamie told her boyfriend, Chris  
Dailey, that she thought David was going to kill her. (As Dailey was in jail  
25 at the time, all of these calls were recorded.) At one point, David threw  
Jamie into the shower. Around the same time, Josue Jimenez, a friend of

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1 David's, received a call from David and Jimenez heard David calling Jamie a  
2 bitch and Jamie crying in the background. Jimenez offered to come over but  
David said, "I've never been more focused in my life." David sent a picture  
to Nolte of Jamie in the tub, apparently bound. Nolte called the police.

3 When police responded, Jamie told them nothing had happened and they  
4 left. After Nolte returned home, David called the police on him, knowing he  
5 had a warrant, and the police returned. Police observed injuries to Jamie  
and she told them Nolte had assaulted her. Nolte was arrested that afternoon  
and remained in jail until June 25, 2016. Later that evening, on a phone  
call to Dailey, Jamie expressed fear of David and said David had beat her.

6 Jamie left the house in Nolte's car (an Acura) and went first to her  
7 friend, Jason Miller's house, and then to her friend, Wade Olesen's house.  
Jamie had visible injuries. Jamie spent the night at Olesen's house and left  
the next morning to retrieve her bag from the Kenmore home.

8 Jamie's boyfriend, Chris Dailey, was in jail, due to be released on the  
9 afternoon of June 10th. Jamie planned to pick Dailey up from jail. Jamie  
10 had multiple phone calls with Dailey in jail on June 8th and the morning of  
June 9th. During those calls, Jamie told Dailey that David had tried to kill  
11 her and punched her in the face on her right cheekbone and as hard as he  
could in her abdomen. She expressed fear he was going to kill her. Dailey  
told her not to go back to the Kenmore house, but on the morning of the 9th,  
12 Jamie told Dailey she was going to return to the house and tell David that he  
had to leave or she would call the police. Jamie stated she could not live  
with David anymore because he was going to kill her. This was 20 minutes  
13 before Jamie walked into the Kenmore house at approximately 8:45 am on June  
9th. Jamie also promised to pick up Dailey the next day from jail.

14 When Jamie got to the house, both David and Chew were home. Both of them  
15 told detectives that Jamie was confrontational when she got home and said  
"things were going to be different" and that David should either get out of  
her way or get on down the road. Shortly thereafter, Chew left to take her  
16 young son so school, leaving Jamie and David at the house. Chew never saw  
Jamie again.

17 Jamie spoke to Dailey on the phone from 9:32 a.m. to 9:47 a.m. while  
18 she was at the Kenmore house. She again promised to pick him up at 3:00 p.m.  
the next day.

19 At 1:05 p.m., Chew received a profane-laden text message from Jamie's  
20 phone stating that she and David needed to get out of the house by the end of  
the weekend. Chew was surprised at the message as Jamie had never spoken to  
her that way before and had misspelled her name. She believes that David  
21 sent this text from Jamie's phone.

22 Chew returned to the Kenmore house at approximately 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.  
on the afternoon of June 9th. Jamie was not there. David told her that he  
23 had taken the car keys from Jamie and left the house and when he had  
returned, Jamie was not there but she had started a fire by the back of the  
house. Chew had never known Jamie to start fires. Police would later  
24 recover burned pants from this area.

25 According to Chew, Jamie's laptop and pain medication, which she  
usually kept with her in her purse, were still at the house. David admitted  
that he later sold the pills for money. Additionally, Jamie's cell phone was

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1 at the house; Joe Lewis, an ex-boyfriend of Jamie's, later saw David with  
2 Jamie's cell phone a few days after she disappeared.

3 Chris Dailey repeatedly tried to call Jamie on the afternoon of June 9th but  
4 she did not answer. She did not pick him up from jail the next day as they  
5 had planned. After he was released, Dailey immediately went to the Kenmore  
6 house looking for her. She was not there. David just said "she didn't come  
7 get you? That's weird." Dailey never spoke to or saw Jamie again.

8 Susan McKinney, the owner of the Acura that Nolte had used, recalls  
9 that she stopped by the Kenmore house between 4:00 and 5:00 p.m. on June 9th  
10 and saw David working on the Acura. She observed that he had removed a large  
11 speaker from the back of the car. David was acting nervous and told McKinney  
12 that he and Jamie had gotten into an argument and Jamie had "walked away" on  
13 foot.

14 Jamie's friend Wade Olesen sent her a Facebook message on the night of  
15 June 9th, worried because he hadn't heard from her. Olesen had advised Jamie  
16 not to go back to the house that morning. When Olesen later asked David  
17 where she was, David said that Jamie had come to the house on the morning of  
18 June 9th but had walked away and gotten into a car with "some Mexican guy"  
19 without talking to David and he never saw her again.

20 On June 9th or 10th, Scott Barnes saw David in Woodinville, Washington,  
21 in Nolte's Acura, going through the car wash. David said he did not know  
22 where Jamie was.

23 None of Jamie's family or friends received any communications from her  
24 after the morning of June 9th and she stopped posting on Facebook. After  
25 Jamie was reported missing, Jan Gregory, the missing persons official from  
the King County Sheriff's Office, attempted to call Jamie's cell phone and  
the voice mail box was full. A few days later, Gregory called and David's  
voice was on the voice mail and the box was no longer full. David later  
admitted recording his voice onto Jamie's voice mail but said he had done it  
on June 8th when he was in the backyard calling the police on Nolte

On June 23, 2019, Stephanie Haggard, Jamie's sister, received a text  
message she thought was from Jamie. The message stated, "Hello, it's your  
sister Jamie." "Jamie" then stated she was away trying to get better.  
Stephanie reported the text to the police and it was determined that the  
message came from Nolte's cell phone. Nolte was still in jail. David later  
admitted he sent this message but claimed it was because he did not want his  
family to worry.

Also on June 23, 2019, David sent messages from Nolte's phone to a  
friend of Jamie's, again pretending to be Jamie, and seeking to meet up for  
drugs.

Over the next few months, several people reported that they thought  
they had seen Jamie. Twice, David told witnesses that was not possible.

As police began to interview potential witnesses and seek polygraph  
tests, David told several people that he would not pass a polygraph. On July  
6, 2016, Chew found David in the shed with a chain around his neck. (It does  
not appear that David actually attempted to hang himself.)

1 The suitcase with Jamie's remains was found on May 10, 2018, off of the  
2 shoulder of Downes Road in Snohomish County. The skull was missing as well  
3 as portions of her limbs. Although the medical examiner was unable to  
4 determine the mechanism of death given the status of the remains, based on  
5 the lengths to which someone went to conceal her body, including dismembering  
6 and burning, the manner of death was ruled to be homicide.

7 The remains were wrapped, from inner to outer, in a fitted bed sheet, a black  
8 plastic garbage bag, construction wrap, and some fragments of clothing and  
9 cloth. Pieces of a cell phone were found in the suitcase as well as burnt  
10 remains of a red sheet or pillowcase.

11 Nolte later told detective that when he was released from jail, his red bed  
12 sheets were missing. He identified the remains of the red sheet from the  
13 suitcase as appearing to be his and they were in fact consistent with a  
14 photograph of his bed taken on June 8, 2016. In addition, several witnesses  
15 confirmed that Haggard had access to numerous construction materials and  
16 tools at the Kenmore house including construction wrap.

17 A later search warrant for a Garmin GPS from a stolen car that David  
18 was driving revealed that on June 14, 2016, the car had driven a route near  
19 to where the remains were found off Downes Road.

20 David has set two previous fires in an attempt to conceal evidence. On  
21 February 16, 2016, appliances were taken from a mobile home in Duvall,  
22 Washington, that Joe Lewis had previously lived in and it was later set on  
23 fire. David admitted to Nolte and Chew that he had set the fire. David was  
24 charged with Arson in the First Degree and is pending trial.

25 On June 5, 2016, David stole a welder from a construction site in  
Woodinville, Washington. He used a forklift to transport the welder to his  
truck. He then burned the forklift to conceal his fingerprints. David was  
later convicted of Arson in the Second Degree.

Based upon the above facts I believe there is probable cause to charge David  
B Haggard with Murder in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree under RCW 9A.32.050.

Under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington,  
I certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Signed and dated by me  
this 26 day of October, 2019, at Seattle, Washington.

*Kathleen Dean*  
KCSO MA 69213



AGENCY: <b>King County Sheriff's Office</b>	<b>WAKCS0000</b>	CASE NUMBER <b>C16030789</b>	FILE NUMBER	PCN NUMBER	<b>SUPERFORM</b>

ARREST INFORMATION		
DATE & TIME OF VIOLATION <b>6/19/2016 9:00 AM</b>	CRIMINAL TRAFFIC CITATION ATTACHED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	ACCOMPLICES
DATE OF ARREST/TIME <b>10/28/2019 11:27 AM</b>	ARREST LOCATION <b>King County Jail</b>	

SUSPECT INFORMATION							
NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE/JR, SR, 1st, 2nd) <b>HAGGARD, DAVID BRENT</b>		DOB <b>2/23/1974</b>	ALIAS, NICKNAMES				
ARMED/DANGEROUS <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	IDENTITY IN DOUBT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	CITIZENSHIP <b>N/A</b>					
PHYSICAL DETAILS							
SEX <b>M</b>	HEIGHT <b>601</b>	WEIGHT <b>200</b>	SKIN TONE	RACE <b>W</b>	EYE <b>GRN</b>	HAIR <b>BRO</b>	SCARS, MARKS, TATTOOS, DEFORMITIES
IDENTIFICATION DETAILS							
CCN <b>1623293</b>	PRIOR BA # <b>218035323</b>	AFIS # <b>00433165</b>	FBI # <b>656843PA3</b>	STATE ID # <b>WA15885613</b>			
RESIDENCE				EMPLOYMENT / SCHOOL			
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS <b>1826 324 AV NE CARNATION, WA 98014</b>				EMPLOYER, SCHOOL (ADDRESS, SHOP/UNION NUMBER)			
RESIDENCE PHONE				BUSINESS PHONE		OCCUPATION	
EMERGENCY CONTACT							
PERSON TO BE CONTACTED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY			RELATIONSHIP	Address		PHONE	

CHARGE INFORMATION			
OFFENSE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DV <input type="checkbox"/> FUGITIVE <b>F - Murder</b>	RCW / ORD# <b>9A.32.050</b>	COURT / CAUSE # <b>/</b>	CITATION #
OFFENSE <input type="checkbox"/> DV <input type="checkbox"/> FUGITIVE	RCW / ORD#	COURT / CAUSE #	CITATION #

WARRANT / OTHER				
WARRANT DATE	WARRANT NUMBER	OFFENSE	AMOUNT OF BAIL	WARRANT TYPE
ORIGINATING POLICE AGENCY		ISSUING AGENCY	WARRANT RELEASED TO: (SERIAL # / UNIT / DATE / TIME)	

PROPERTY INFORMATION		
LIST VALUABLE ITEMS OR PROPERTY LEFT FOR ARRESTEE AT JAIL		
LIST VALUABLE ITEMS OR PROPERTY ENTERED INTO EVIDENCE (SIMPLE DESCRIPTION, IDENTIFYING MARKS, SERIAL #)		
LIST ITEMS ENTERED INTO SAFEKEEPING		
TOTAL CASH OF ARRESTEE <b>\$0.00</b>	WAS CASH TAKEN INTO EVIDENCE? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO AMOUNT: <b>\$0.00</b>	SIGNATURE OF JAIL STAFF RECEIVING ITEMS / SERIAL #

OFFICER INFORMATION		
ARRESTING OFFICER / SERIAL # <b>Decker, Kathleen M 69213</b>	TRANSPORTING OFFICER / SERIAL #	SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE / SERIAL #
SUPERFORM COMPLETED BY (SIGNATURE/SERIAL #) <b>Decker, Kathleen</b>		CONTACT PERSON FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (NAME/SERIAL#/PHONE) <b>Decker, Kathleen 69213 2065109579</b>

COURT FILE		
SUPERIOR COURT FILING INFO <input type="checkbox"/> IN CUSTODY <input type="checkbox"/> AT LARGE <input type="checkbox"/> OUT ON BOND	COURT CAUSE (STAMP OR WRITE)	
COURT/DIST. CT.NO.	DIST. CT. BOND \$	SUP. CT. DATE

EXTRADITE			
PERSON APPROVING EXTRADITION	SEAKING-LOCAL ONLY WACIC-STATE WIDE <input type="checkbox"/>	NCIC-WILL EXTRADITE FROM ID & OR ONLY <input type="checkbox"/>	NCIC-WILL EXTRADITE FROM OR, ID, MT, WY, CA, NV, UT, CO, AZ, NM, HI, AK <input type="checkbox"/>
CCN _____	DOE _____	DOC _____	
WAC _____	TOE _____	TOC _____	
NCIC _____	OP _____	OP _____	

PROBABLE CAUSE INFORMATION	
<b>STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE: NON-VUCSA</b>	
CONCISELY SET FORTH FACTS SHOWING PROBABLE CAUSE FOR EACH ELEMENT OF THE OFFENSE AND THAT THE SUSPECT COMMITTED THE OFFENSE. IF NOT PROVIDED, THE SUSPECT WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY RELEASED. INDICATE ANY WEAPONS INVOLVED. (DRUG CRIME CERTIFICATE BELOW)	